

TWO WASHINGTON MEN ARE GERMAN OFFICERS

Have Honorary Rank of Colonel in the Famous "West Watch" Corps.

There are at least two German army officers in Washington who have not participated in any of the sanguinary battles of the near-world war that is now in progress.

H. Oden Lake, national commander of the Army and Navy Union, and Col. M. A. Winter of 1317 R street are both honorary colonels of the famous German Westwatch Army Corps.

The "West Watch," as the corps is familiarly termed, was assigned to duty guarding the Rhine and the German frontier against possible French aggression prior to the present war. Since the beginning of hostilities it has been in the thick of the fighting and led the way on the first advance upon Paris.

A Reciprocal Honor.

Col. Winter, who is an honorary national aid-de-camp of the Army and Navy Union, with a number of officers of the German government, made two visits to Germany, where they received many honors at the hands of the German government. On the last visit Col. Winter was authorized to confer upon certain officers of the Kaiser's army the honorary rank of colonel and aid-de-camp on the staff of National Commander Lake. In return for these honors both Lake and Winter were made honorary colonels of the Westwatch Corps.

Gen. Lake yesterday received from his fellow-officers of the German army a quantity of literature and illustrations bearing upon the present great conflict. Among the pamphlets received from Berlin were: "Who Broke the Peace of Europe?" "The Causes of the War," "We and Our Enemies," "An Englishman Upon England," "To My Friends in America," "Interview With Andrew Carnegie," "Englishmen Upon Belgian Neutrality," etc.

Portrait of the Kaiser.

Commander Lake has received from a German colonel, now at the front, a large portrait of the Kaiser, autographed by the German emperor and with this inscription beneath the portrait:

"Frankfort—To the commander-in-chief, Gen. Oden Lake, as a token of true comradeship, from Dr. (Col.) Max Walter, honorary colonel and aid-de-camp, Army and Navy Union, U. S. A."

The picture is hanging upon the wall of national headquarters, 414 14th street, this city. It is said the ordinary German officers are wearing the insignia of the Army and Navy Union in the thick of the fighting across the seas.

GRADUATION EXERCISES FOR SCHOOLS ARRANGED

Members of Board of Education and Officers Assigned to Assist.

Assignments of members of the board of education and school officers to assist in the mid-year graduation exercises of the high schools the latter part of this week are now complete. Speakers for the exercises of a number of the high schools also have been named. Exercises for the eighth grades are to be held Friday morning. Exercises at the McKinley Manual Training School will be marked by an innovation. In place of the regular commencement address an illustrated lecture is to be given, the lecturer being Thomas Riggs, Jr., of the national Alaskan commission. Class night exercises are to be held Tuesday. Representative Joseph Howell of Utah is to speak at the graduation at the exercises of Western High School at the Wilson Normal School Thursday at 11 a.m. Business High School's two classes, two and four year, are to hold joint commencement exercises Friday evening. The two-year class is to hold class exercises Wednesday evening, and the four-year class its entertainment Thursday night.

Official Announcement.

Below is the official announcement of the exercises:

Business High School, Friday, January 23, 8 p.m. Business High School assembly hall; to preside, Henry P. Blair, president board of education; to present diplomas, Mrs. Susie Root Rhodes.

Central High School, Friday, January 23, 8 p.m. Central High School assembly hall; to preside, Ernest L. Thurston, superintendent of schools; to present diplomas, William T. Gallinger.

McKinley Manual Training School, Thursday, January 23, 8 p.m. McKinley Manual Training School assembly hall; to preside, Ernest L. Thurston, superintendent of schools; to present diplomas, William T. Gallinger.

Western High School, Thursday, January 23, 11 a.m. J. O. Wilson Normal School; to preside, Mrs. Susie Root Rhodes; to present diplomas, Ernest L. Thurston.

REPRESENTATIVES-ELECT TO BE GIVEN RECEPTION

Spanish War Veterans Plan to Honor L. C. Dyer and Thomas S. Crago.

Representatives-elect L. C. Dyer of Missouri and Thomas S. Crago of Pennsylvania are to be given a reception soon by Spanish war veterans, at which it is planned to have prominent soldiers present. The reception is to be held in the armory of the District National Guard and is to be in charge of the following committee:

On behalf of the 1st District of Columbia Volunteer Regiment—Col. Richard D. Simms and Maj. Fred S. Hodgson.

Representing Company C, 1st District of Columbia Volunteers—Capt. Charles S. C. Dwyer, Sgt. R. E. Claxton, and John Lewis Smith, past commander-in-chief of the United Spanish War Veterans.

General committee—Jere A. Costello, past department commander, U. S. W. V., chairman; William A. Hickey, vice chairman; Winfield Jones, treasurer, and J. Walter Mitchell, secretary.

Representative-elect Dyer served as an enlisted man in Company C, 1st District of Columbia Volunteers, in the war with Spain. Representative-elect Crago was an officer of a Pennsylvania regiment, serving in the Philippines.

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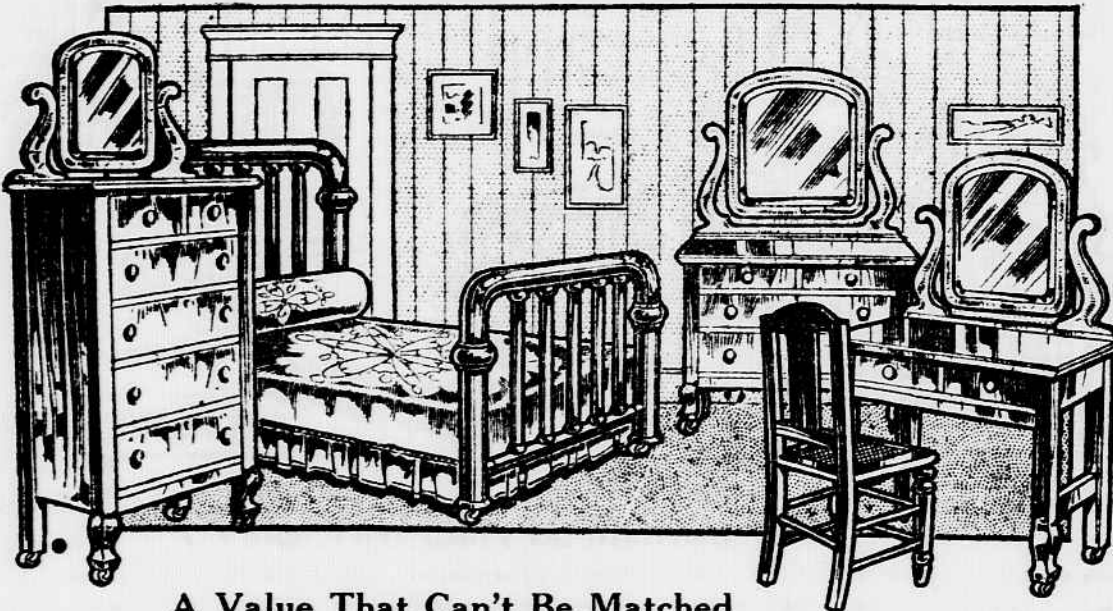
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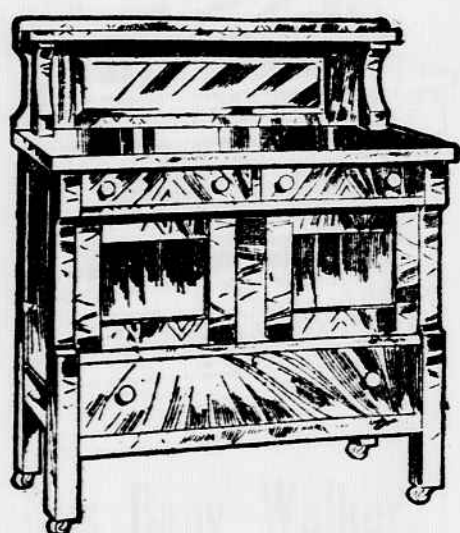
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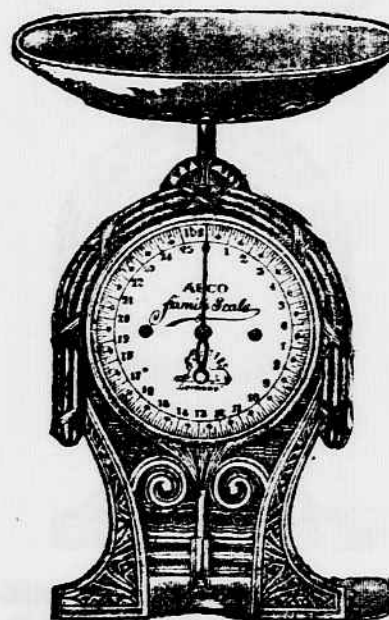
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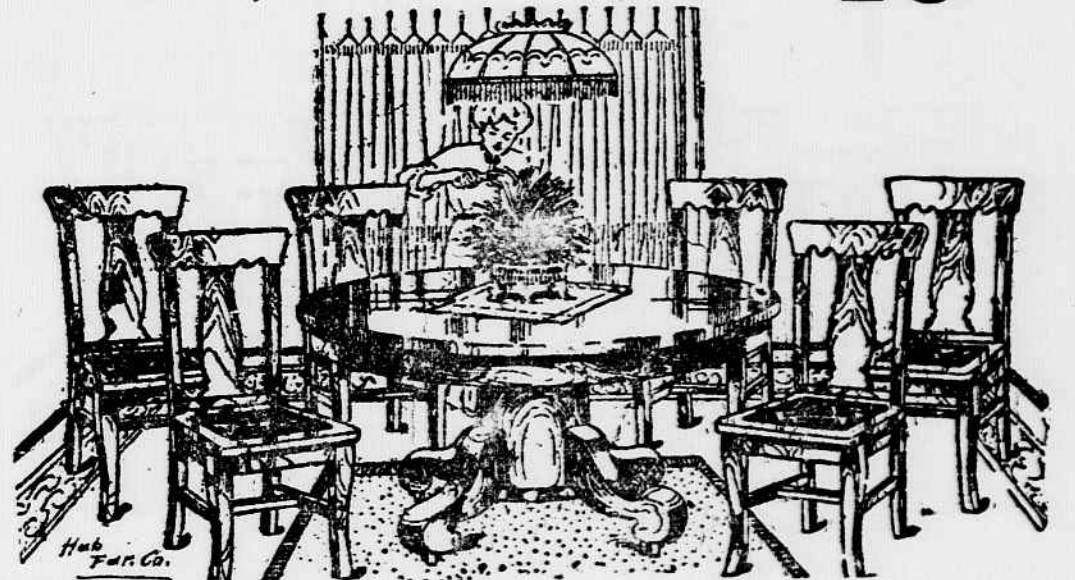


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